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DRAGGIE'S
JOURNEY
THROUGH
DRAGONLAND

DRAGON

1965

DOWNS HIGH SCHOOL

DOWNS, KANSAS

THE JOURNEY BEGINS



"Hello there! I'm Draggie, the Downs High and Grade School mascot. I'm just ready to start my journey through the 1964 and 1965 school year in Dragonland. You're just in time! Wouldn't you like to join me?"

"This is my school! You know, the students and faculty really make me feel welcome here. In fact the whole town does. That's why I want to take you on a journey through MY school!"

FACULTY



CLASSES



ACTIVITIES



ELEMENTARY



ADVERTISEMENTS



"AND HERE ARE THE BUILDINGS THAT HOUSE MY DRAGON FRIENDS . . . "



HIGH SCHOOL . . .

"Through these halls
pass tomorrow's citizens."



GYMNASIUM . . .

"Here the Dragons
spend many hours of hard
practicing which led to
victories."



JUNIOR HIGH . . .

"The students here are
the high school students in
a few years."



GRADE SCHOOL . . .

"The long road to edu-
cation begins here!"

FACULTY AND ADMINISTRATION

"Boy, Downs has a great faculty! You know they even formed a band for a pep rally to boost the Dragons to victory. They sponsor clubs and activities besides having well-planned classes.

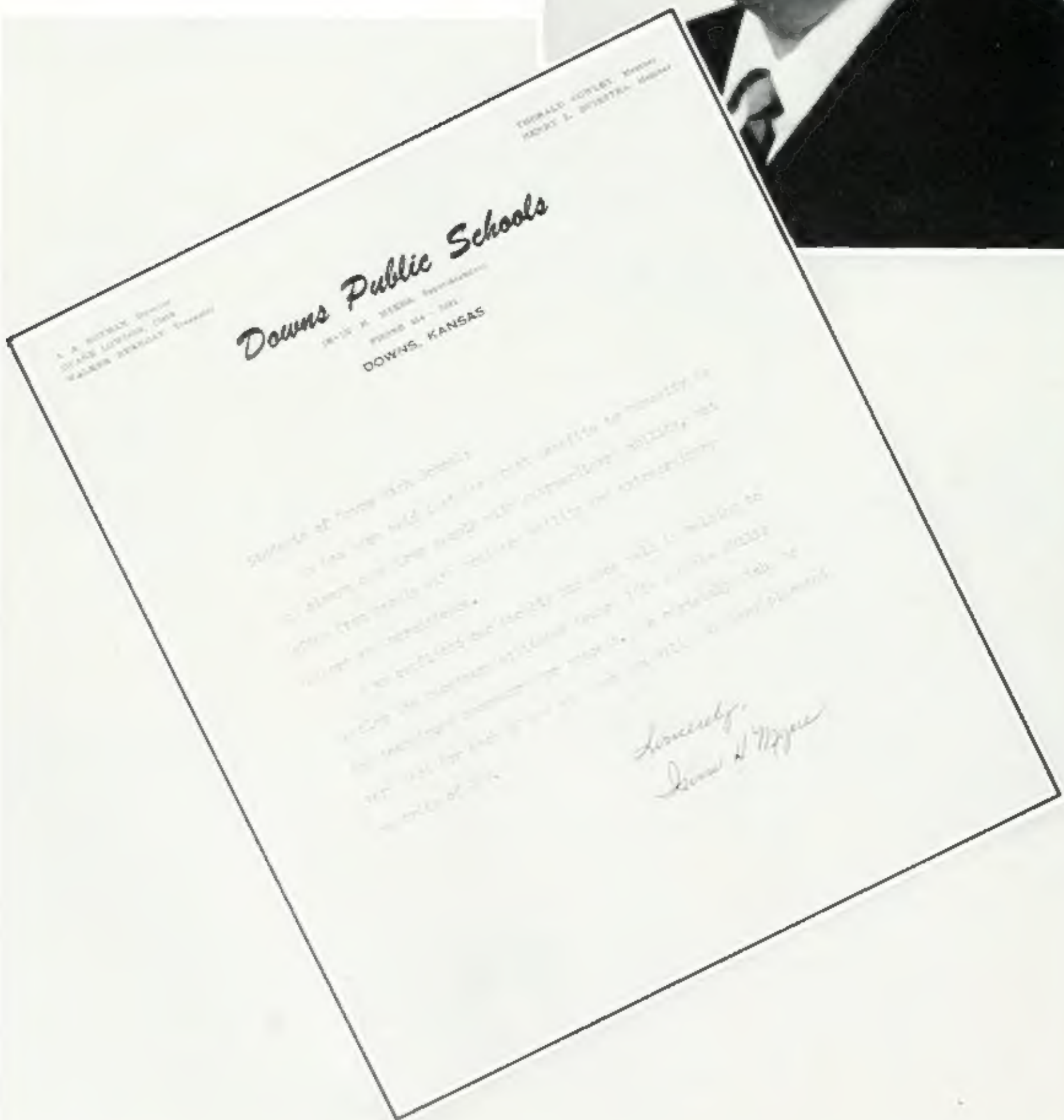
"Up-to-date!' That's DHS. They even have a guidance counselor.

"Mr. Irvin Myers loved Dragonland so much he came back to his alma mater to be superintendent."



SUPERINTENDENT'S MESSAGE

MR. IRVIN H. MYERS
Superintendent



GRADE SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

Mr. Francis Roe has been principal of the Downs Schools for eight years. In addition to his responsibilities as principal Mr. Roe assists Superintendent Irvin Myers and serves as temporary supervisor in Mr. Myers' absence.

This year Mr. Roe taught International Relations and American History in high school. He is retiring from being grade school principal and will teach only social sciences in high school next year.



BOARD OF EDUCATION



STANDING: Mr. Walker Revroat, treasurer; Mr. A. J. Rotman, member; Mr. Thorald Cowley, president;
SEATED: Mr. Duane Lowdon, member; Mr. Henry Buikstra, clerk

DHS FACULTY



Top: Martin D. Bay - English Library; Marge Golbur - Voc. Math.
 Henry V. Kerkoff - German; Gerald G. Gads - Econ., Irvin Myers
 - Art, Art Appreciation, Voc. Eng. - Bus.; Joseph H. Harkins -
 Foreign Languages - Commerce.



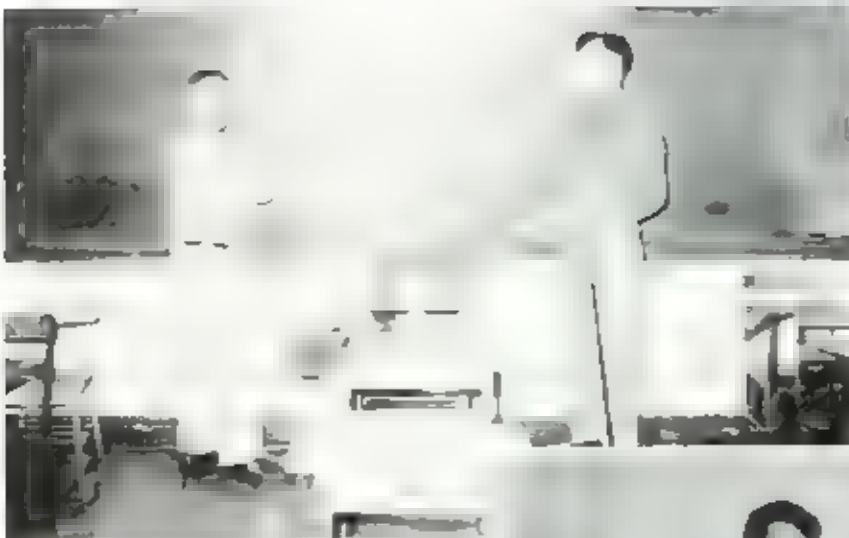
STANDING: Larry Parker, counselor; Dave Jenkins, physics; Neil Dreiling government; Bob Brihart, mathematics; Don Meek psychology biology, health; Alan Feist, driver's education & mechanical drawing; Arnold Sandquist, instrumental music; Francis Roe, History & Current Affairs; Joan Stahl, History & English.

PEOPLE WE APPRECIATE

COOKS



Mrs. Don Montgomery, Mrs. Kenneth Watt,
Mr. Art Tucker, and Mrs. Anna Walter



Dean Williams and
Tony Miller

JANITORS



Mrs. Cheryl Mertz

SCHOOL SECRETARY



Don Miller, Gary Foe, and Don Walter

BUS DRIVERS

CLASSES



"Now I'd like to introduce to you my friends, the students of Dragon land. They are the backbone of the school."

"You know, I love all the students dearly. The only thing that mars my happiness is that the seniors must leave me. But to brighten my world, I just think of all the future students to enter the halls of DHS."

THIRTY-SIX SENIORS STEP OUT
INTO THE WORLD!



A black and white portrait of a young woman with dark, curly hair. She is wearing a dark dress with a white collar and a white sash. The portrait is set against a light background.

CLASS SPONSORS

DON ERIC DOUGHEPT

Dance Band 4; D-Club 2
3, 4; Officer 3; Homecoming
Attendant 4; Class play
3; Annual Staff, Photogra-
pher 4; CADENCE Staff
Photographer 4; Football 1
2, 3, 4; Letterman 3, 4; Track
manager 2; Basketball
manager 3, 4.



BEATRIZ ALCOCER
CARRASCO

Foreign Exchange Student
from Guobamba, Ecuador.

Dragonettes 4; Glee Club
4; FHA 4. Officer 4.

NANCY KATHERINE
BRUMMER

Kayettes 2, 3, 4; Glee Club
2, 3, 4.



Kayettes 2, 3, 4, Officer 3,
4; Dragonettes 2, 3, 4, Of-
ficer 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3,
4; Class Play 3; CADENCE
Staff, Editor 4; Student
Council 4. Officer 4.

EVELYN SUSAN BECKER



JANET COWLEY

Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4, Board 4;
Dragonettes 1, 2, 3, 4, Of-
ficer 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3,
4; Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4;
Mixed Ensemble 3, 4;
Triple Trio 3, 4; Class
Play 3; Class Officer 3;
Student Council 3.

CARL LEROY MILLER

Glee Club 1, 2, 3.





CAROLYN ANN REICH

Kayettes 2,3; Dragonettes 3,4; FHA 4, Officer 4; C'DFENCE News Editor; Class play 4.



GAYLE DAVID ARASMITH

FFA 2,3,4, Officer 4; Hi-Y 2; D-Club 2,3,4, Officer 3,4; Homecoming King 4; Football 2,3,4 Lettered 2,3,4; Class Play 3,4; Basketball 2,3; Track 3 Lettered 3; All-league Football 4; Honorable mention All-league Football 3; Basketball manager 4.



TIPPY SANDRA SNYDER

Kayettes 1,2; Glee Club 1,2; Mixed Chorus 1,2; Valedictorian.

JOANNA BROWN

Kayette 1,2,3,4 Board 4; Dragonettes 1,2,3,4; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 2,3,4; Mixed Ensemble 3,4; Triple Trio 2,3,4; Officer 1,2,3,4; Homecoming Queen 4; Class Play 3,4; Class Officer 2,3,4; Annual Staff Editor 4; Cheerleader 3,4; Head cheerleader 4; Valedictorian.



Kayettes 1,2,3,4 Board 4; Dragonettes 1,2,3,4, Officer 3; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 2,3,4; Mixed Ensemble 3,4; Girl's Scout 4; Homecoming Attendant 4; C'DFENCE Staff, Assistant Editor 4; Student Council 4, Officer 4; Class Play 4; Class officer 3.

DIANNA KAY PAHLS

BILL DEAN WILLIAMS

FFA 3,4; Hi-Y 1; Basketball 1,2; Track 1.



DONALD LEE WAGNER

Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3; Hi-Y 1; Class Play 3, 4.



CAROLYN KAY
OUDERKIRK

Kayettes 2, 3; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Mixed Ensemble 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; Triple Trio 4; Band 3, 4, Officer 3, 4; Pep Band 3, 4; Dance Band 3, 4; Drum Majorette 3, 4; Homecoming Attendant 3, 4; Class Officer 3; CADENCE Staff, Feature Editor; FHA 4, Officer 4.



IRVA KAY BURMEISTER

Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Dragonettes 1, 2, 3, 4; FFA Sweetheart 3; Homecoming Attendant 4; Yearbook Attendant 4; Class officer 4; Class Play 4.

Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4, Board 4; Dragonettes 1, 3, 4, Officer 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4; Girl's Sextet 4; Band 1, 3, 4; Pep Band 1, 3, 4; Class Play 3, 4; CADENCE Staff, Advertisements.



GWYNNE IRENE ARASMITH

Kayettes 2, 3, 4; Dragonettes 2, 3, 4; Homecoming Queen 4; Class Officer 4; Cheerleader 4.

SANDRA KAY MURROW



DARRRELL EUGENE MILLER

FFA 1, 2, 3, 4, Officer 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 1, 2, Officer 2; D-Club 2, 3, 4; Homecoming Attendant 3, 4; Class Play 3, 4; Class Officer 1, 3; Student Council 1, 3, 4, Officer 4; CADENCE, Business Manager 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4, Lettered 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, Lettered 3, 4; All-league Basketball 4.



VICKIE DIANNE MAIER

Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Ensemble 1, 2, 3, 4; Triple Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Class play 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Lettered 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Lettered 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Lettered 1, 2, 3, 4; All-league Football 1, 2, 3, 4.



CHARLES LEON OVIATT

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Ensemble 1, 2, 3, 4; Triple Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Class play 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Lettered 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Lettered 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Lettered 1, 2, 3, 4; All-league Football 1, 2, 3, 4.



JO SUSAN BRINEY

Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Kayette Officer 1, 2, 3, 4; Dragonette 1, 3, 4; Band 3, 4; All-league Band 4; Girl's Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4.



JANICE KAYE WIERSMA

Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Board 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Ensemble 3, 4; Triple Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Class play 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Lettered 1, 2, 3, 4.

Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Dragonette 1, 3, 4; Outstanding Kayette 2; Dragonette Officer 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4; Mixed Ensemble 1, 2, 3, 4; Girl's Sextet 4; Twirler 1, 3, 4.



HAROLD BRENT DOMONE

Glee Club 3; Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Ensemble 1, 2, 3, 4; Board 3; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Lettered 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Lettered 1, 2, 3, 4; All-league football 4.

SHIRLEY ROSE HUGHES



JAMES DALE REID

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Ensemble 3, 4; FFA 3, 4, Officer 3, 4; Hi-Y 1, 2, Officer 4; D-Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Officer 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4, Lettered 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, Lettered 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4, Lettered 3, 4.



BEVERLY MARIE YENZER

Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Dragonettes 1, 2, 3, 4, Officer 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 3, 4; Pep Band 1, 3, 4; Annual Staff, Business Manager 4.



JENNIFER BETH ROTMAN

Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4, Board 2, 3, 4; Dragonettes 1, 2, 3, 4, Officer 2; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 1; Class Play 3, 4; FFA Sweetheart Attendant 3; Class Officer 2; Annual Staff, Assistant Editor 4; Cheerleader 3, 4.

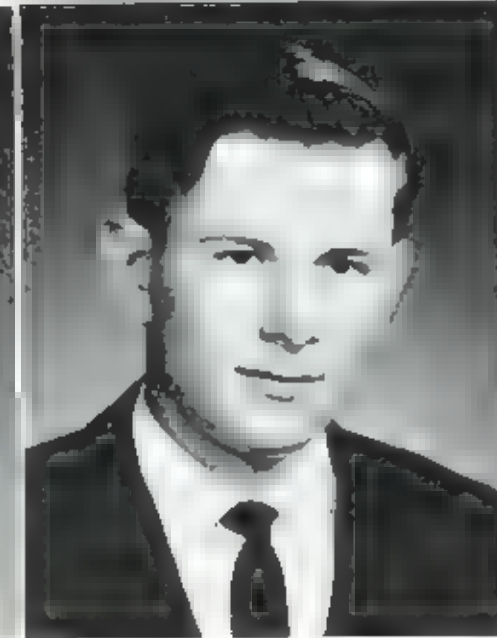
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BEATRICE EMILY GEISLER



JUDY ANN DRIGGS

Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4, Board 2, 3, 4; Dragonettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4, Officer 3; Pep Band 1, 3, 4; Dance Band 3, 4.



RICHARD DOUGLAS CARL

FFA 1, 2, 3, 4, Officer 4; Football 2, 3, 4, Lettered 4; Basketball 1.



JENNIFER
STINSON

Keyette 1, 2; Dr. Keyette 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Officer 1, 2, 3, 4; D-Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Homecoming Attendant 4; Class Officer 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 2, 3; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Lettered 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3; Lettered 2, 3; All-league Football 4; Class Play 3, 4.



LESLIE DEAN STREIT

Glee Club 2, 3; Mixed Chorus 2, 3; Mixed Ensemble 3, 4; FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Officer 1, 2, 3, 4; D-Club 2, 3, 4; Homecoming Attendant 4; Class Officer 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 2, 3; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Lettered 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3; Lettered 2, 3; All-league Football 4; Class Play 3, 4.



GLENDA WILLIAMS



AMY NAMYNE

Keyette 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Dr. Keyette 1, 2, 3, 4; Secretary for Mr. 1, 2, 3, 4.



RONALD EDWARD MOFFITT

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4; Officer 3; Homecoming Officer 2; D-Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Play 1, 2, 3, 4; Lettered 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3; Football 1, 2, 3, 4.



GLORIA BERNADINE WOOD



JUNIORS

the junior
prom and

"To guide them through this year, they elected Jerome Streit president, Bill Benefiel was elected vice president; Linda Poppen, secretary; Don Saunders, treasurer; and Steve Stuart, student council representative.

"These officers were kept very busy with the many activities that faced them."



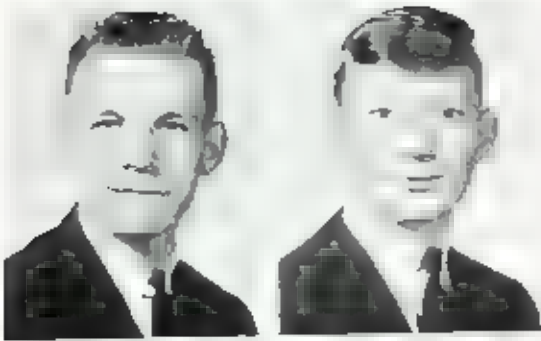
JUNIORS LOOK FORWARD TO . . .



Marie Dehey



CLASS SPONSORS



Donald Becker
LeWayne Becker



Bill Benefiel
Dorothy Schim



Larry Bauman
Daniel Braun

Dana Braun
Cory Doune



Donale Fink

Laurie Finley
Patty Gates



BANQUET AND PROM



Dale Goheen
Sherry Grater

Ross Heinen
Melinda Kigore



Sheila Linton
Linda Meyers

Jerry Michel
Dennis Muck



Barbara Panis
Linda Padden

Jerry Reid
Ronald Rous





Robert L. Smith
Sally L. Smith

Terrence Street
Sally Street



Steve Smith
Linda Smith

Robert L. Smith
Perry A. Smith



Dennis W. Smith
Sally W. Smith

Robert L. Smith
Perry A. Smith



Robert L. Smith
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Sally L. Smith



SOPHOMORES

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SOPHOMORES BECOME HIGH



Mrs. Farnick
 Stephens



Mr. [Name]

CLASS SPONSORS



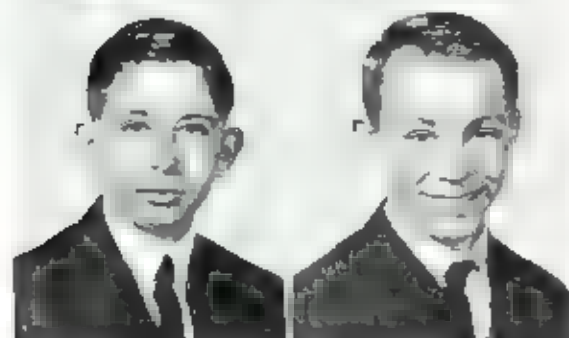
Rocky C. Smith
Marilyn Becker

Bill Berkeley
Winnie Winston



Claude B. Jones
Linda B. Ross

Becky Brune
Jerome Brummer



Craig Cole
Buford DeBolt

Samuel Edwards
Faith Cuhn



SCHOOL LEADERS.



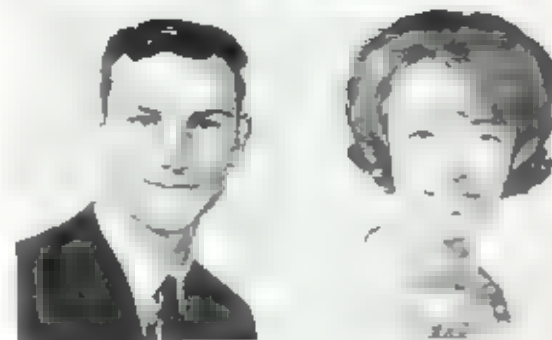
Donna Hughes
Jerry Jacobs

Linda Jacobs
Danny Krier



Terry C. Erickson
Larry L. Erickson

Tom McElroy
Betty Michel



Craig Miller
Norma Miller

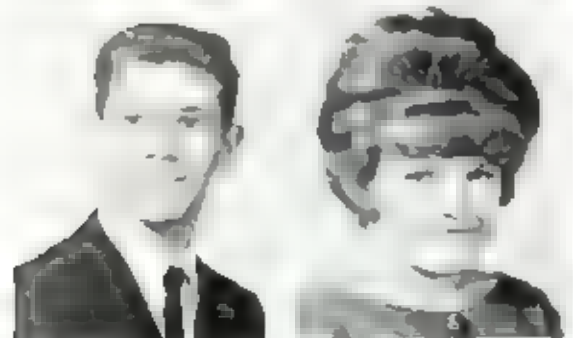
Allen Otte
Carleen Ouderkirk





MISS MARY

MISS MARY
Dorothy Sexton



MISS MARY
T. T. T. T. T.

MISS MARY
Bob Vos



MISS MARY
Joy W. W.

MISS MARY
John Mac



MISS MARY



NOT PICTURED--
John Newport
Martha Newport
Randy Perkins
Robert Sloggett

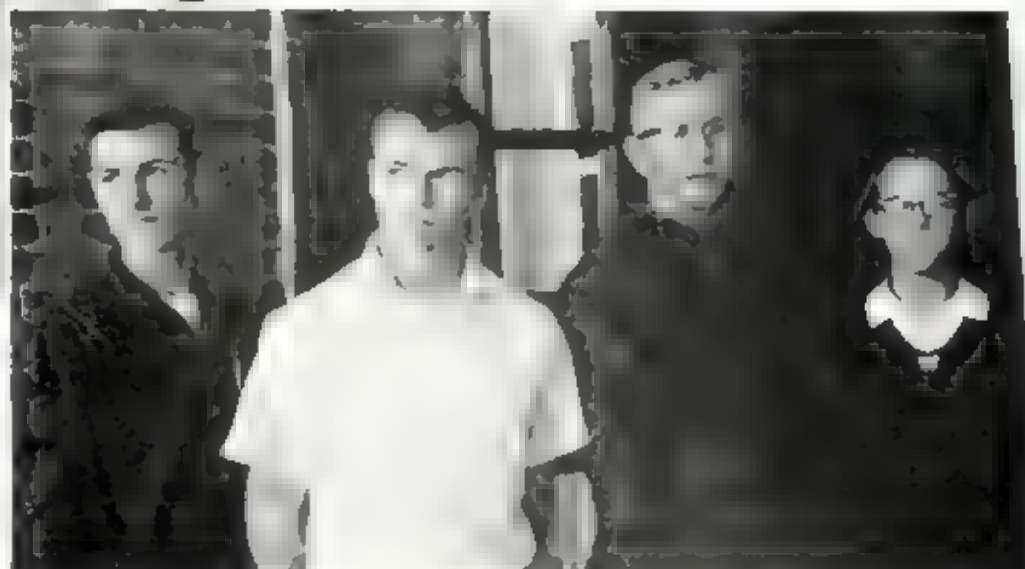


By they
were a wild
bunch

Robert Sloggett



Wake Up, Donna!



Randy Perkins John Newport Martha Newport



FRESHMEN

The first of the year was a very successful one. The students of the school were very happy to see the new students. The students of the school were very happy to see the new students. The students of the school were very happy to see the new students.



THIRTY-TWO FRESHMEN ENTER



Ms. [Name]



Mr. [Name]

Thirty-two green freshmen entered the halls of DHS this year. After being properly initiated by seniors, they entered into the regular schedule of high school life. The freshmen became active members of the organizations and music groups. To raise money, they sold decals and had food-

CLASS SPONSORS



Pamela Beisel
Patti Benefiel

Joan Bohm
Dixie Carl



Dana Domoney
Glen Edwards

Barbara Fink
Dorie Goheen

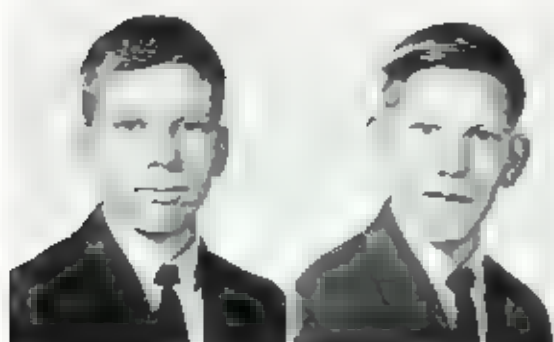


Dennis Knouf
Ann Lawson

Beverly LaRue
Rodney Linton

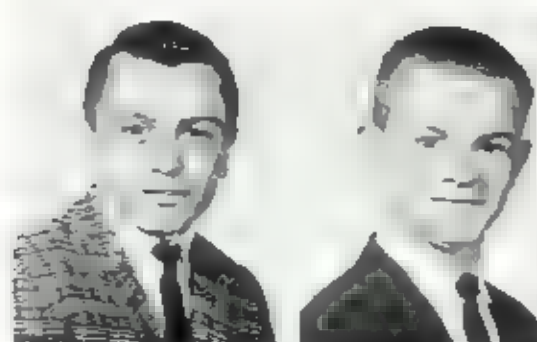


NEW PHASE OF THEIR LIFE



Douglas Lowdon
Timothy Moore

Kirby Mullen
Roger Nyhoff



Gary Peron
Beverly Robinson

Daryl Rotman
Roger Russell



Kathryn Seaman
David Slater

Henry Staley
Kenneth Staley





Duane Teselle
James Valliant



Mr. E. VanderGiesen
Mr. VanderRiet



Michelle Watts
Jimmy Sonnenberg



Hard working Freshmen!



Glamor girls!?!?)



Who are the freshmen and who are the Seniors?

ACTIVITIES



"Besides having an excellent academic program, my friends in Dragonland find time for extra activities.

"The year started off with football season followed by basketball, which were both a great success for the Dragons. The plays, homecoming, prom, and school parties all helped to make it a great year at DHS.

"In the halls of MY school every year develop musicians, athletes and leaders!"

STUCO, BACKBONE OF SCHOOL!



Dorothy registering to vote at election!

For the first time DHS had a vigorous election for the Stuco officers at the first of the year.

Everyone in high school was very busy. A rally was held before the election at which the candidates were introduced.

Harold Miller was elected president; Jerry Reel, V. P.; Diana Pahls, secretary; and Evelyn Becker, treasurer.



Everyone campaigned!

STUDENT COUNCIL OF 1965



Darrell presenting his platform!



1st ROW SEATED, Barbara Brown, Ann Levenson, Mary VanderGiesen, 2nd ROW SEATED, Diana Pahls, Darrell Miller, Evelyn Becker, Jerry Reel, Harold Miller, sponsor; STANDING from l. to r. Danny Krier, Leslie Street, and the rest of the council.

STUCO SPONSORED TALENT SHOW FOR SCHOLARSHIP, BAND UNIFORMS

The stuco was very busy this year setting policies for the school and sponsoring activities. They organized the Homecoming festivities and sponsored a Valentines dance. They also put on a talent show to raise money.

To promote safety a month was designated safety month. It featured speech essay and poster contests and a safety queen.



Trible Trio performs at talent show.



Janice sang "I feel Pretty"

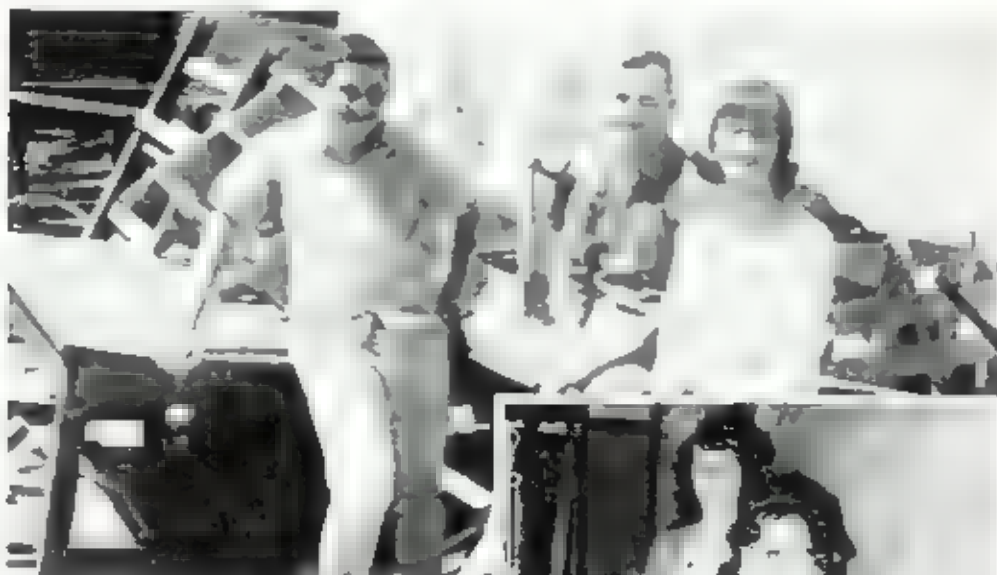
SAFETY QUEEN



Norma June Miller

STUCO PROMOTED SAFETY

Essay winners: 1st. Tom McElroy, 2nd. Donalea Park 3rd. Terry Steinshouer



Poster winners, 1st. Barb Brown 2nd, Doug Yenser, 3rd, Kirby Mullen



Speech Contest; Norma Miller, 1st; 2nd, Jerry Reid, 3rd. Darlene Steinshouer.



FIRST ROW, J. Wiersma, B. Fink, J. Rotman, B. Brown, R. VanderReit, S. Grauer, S. Watts, L. Mayers, P. Benefiel, C. Ouderkirk, E. Guhn, B. Domoney, B. Yenzer. SECOND ROW, Arnold Sandquist, director, M. Watts, J. Driggs, M. VanderGiesen, D. Steinshouer, P. Beisel, D. Rotman, B. Berkley, R. Walter, E. Theleman, J. Briney, C. Blide, K. Seaman, R. Russell, S. Murrow. THIRD ROW, N. Miller, K. Watts, D. Domoney, B. Robinson, L. Tanis, T. Steinshouer, J. Cowley, S. Keece, D. Walter, B. DeBolt, B. Briney, R. Schreuder, R. Hennen, A. Lawson. FOURTH ROW, J. Vallient, D. Hughes, S. Hughes, B. Geisler, A. Fink. FIFTH ROW, C. Ouderkirk.



DRUM MAJORETTE
Carolyn Ouderkirk



BAND OFFICERS; Carolyn Ouderkirk, president; Lois Tanis, secretary; class representatives: Janet Cowley, Sr., Don Venter, Jr.; Carleen Ouderkirk, Soph.; Marsha Venter, Jr.

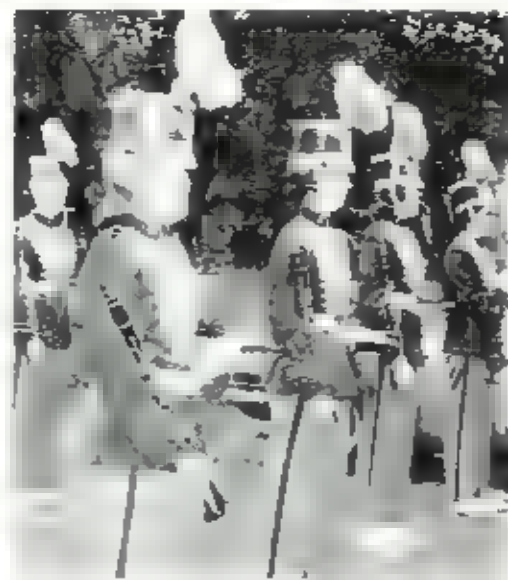


TWILERS: Shirley Hughes, Lois Hughes, and Beatrice Ouderkirk



"The band worked for new uniforms this year. They had food-stands at the grade school tournament, sold Christmas cards and had a benefit concert to raise money."

'Left! Right! Left! Right! The DHS marching band had a busy season this year. They marched at all the home games and went to the away games. They also marched at the Hutchinson State Fair and Band Day at K-State."



DANCE BAND



FIRST ROW, from left; Dana Domoney, Roger Russell, Carolyn Ounderkirk, Brent Domoney, Judy Driggs, 2nd ROW; Pam Beisel, Donna Hughes, Darlene Steinshouer, Dee Dougherty, Edith Guhn, Carleen Ounderkirk, Janet Cowley, Barbara Fink (at the piano) and Arnold Sandquist, director.

MANY VOCALISTS AT . . .

I have been thinking about you a great deal lately, and wondering how you are getting on. I hope you are well and happy. I have been very busy lately, but I will try to write to you more often. I have been thinking about you a great deal lately, and wondering how you are getting on. I hope you are well and happy. I have been very busy lately, but I will try to write to you more often.

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ACCOMPANISTS:

Lance Wiersma,
 Ed Larson
 Lois Tines
 Donna Hughes



CHORUS

1st from L. P. Baisel, B. Clark, D. Gohzen, B. Robinson, D. Steinholer, Y. Thoms, B. Crocker, C. Blide, M. Vagstad, L. Thelmer, Marjorie Cornburn, instructor; 2nd N. Brummer, B. Briley, S. Linton, S. Holmes, J. Cowley, L. Poppen, L. Bliss, D. Hughes, D. Johnson, P. Benetel, J. Veenstra, B. Frawley, M. Meyer, B. Voss, M. VanderCreek, D. Fink, F. Gahn, K. Seaman, L. Finley, S. Yenzler, C. Ouderkerk, J. Seematt, M. Becker, S. Linton, G. Wilkins, J. Mayers, D. Bliss, J. Gieser, J. Boorn, M. Watts, P. Gates, J. Fink, D. Gahn, B. Meyer; 3rd C. Ouderkerk, D. Boorn, W. Baisel, L. Jacobs, L. Muck, P. Becker, S. Morrow, Z. Sutter, N. Miller, B. Yenzler, K. Watts, C. Meyer, J. Fink.

GIRLS' GLEE CLUB



SMALL ENSEMBLES ADD INTEREST



SEXTET

BACK ROW: Mary Ann Smith, Karen Smith, Mary Ann Smith, Karen Smith, Mary Ann Smith, Karen Smith
FRONT ROW: Mary Ann Smith, Karen Smith

TRIPLE TRIO



LEFT ROW: Mary Ann Smith, Karen Smith, Darlene Smith, Mary Ann Smith, Karen Smith, Darlene Smith
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MIXED ENSEMBLE



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FRONT ROW: Mary Ann Smith, Karen Smith, Darlene Smith, Mary Ann Smith, Karen Smith, Darlene Smith



OUR SMILING GIRL FROM ECUADOR



For the first time DHS had
a foreign exchange student
in 1964-1965.

I wish to express my sincere appreciation for the many kind acts shown me, an American Field Service Student. My stay in your town has been very pleasant. I wish to thank the local AFS Chapter for making it possible to come to the United States, and especially Downs, Kansas. I also wish to thank the organizations that helped make my trip possible.

I find your school system much different than it is in my country. I have enjoyed the many activities. The Junior-Senior Prom was wonderful. And the Senior sneak is a trip I shall never forget.

I want to thank my host parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Steinshouer, who have treated me as their own child, helped me learn the English language, prepared me for school, and did so many extra things to show the culture of America.

These months spent in Downs have been very happy. In fact I had the happiest Christmas and birthday too.

For all the gifts, cards, and remembrances, I am very grateful to all.

I shall surely remember my friends through the friendship quilt that "Mom" Steinshouer sponsored.

I shall always remember my school year in good Old Downs High.

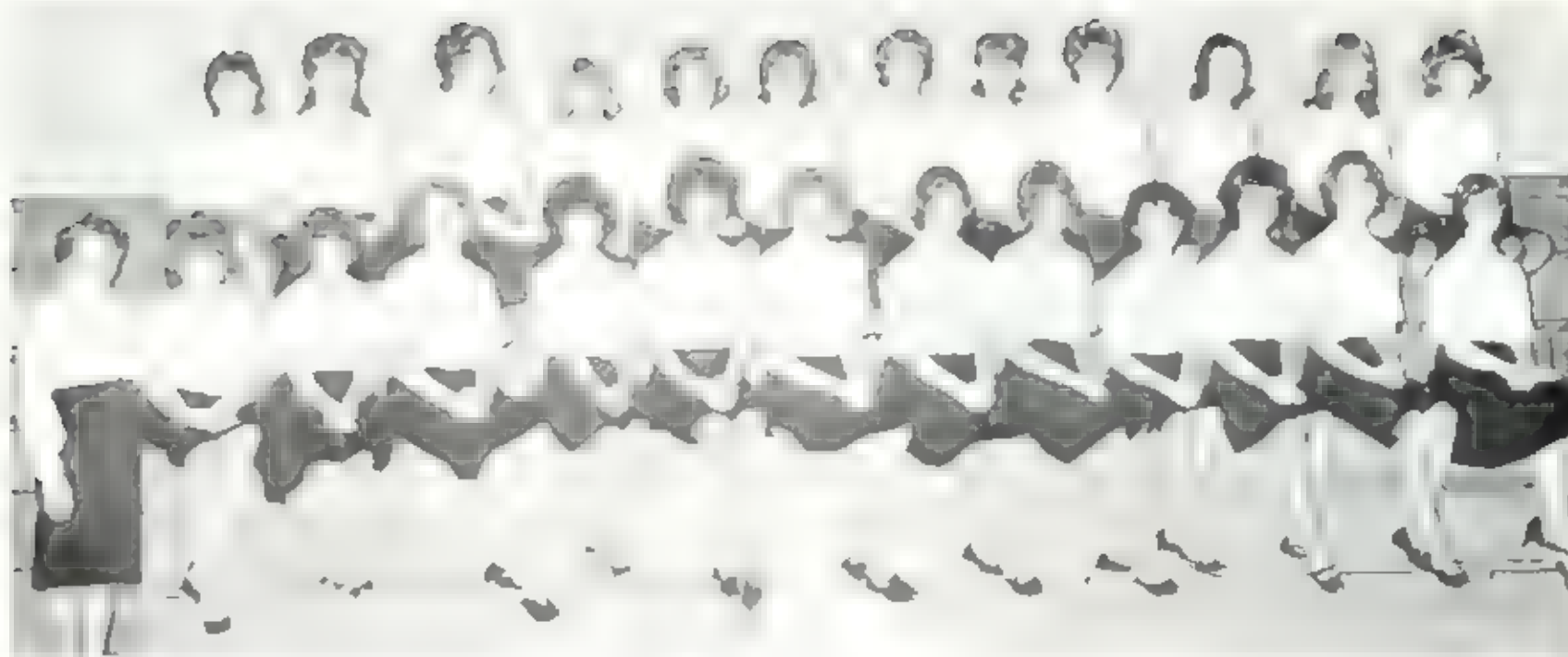
A very grateful thanks to everyone.

BEATRIZ ALCOCER CARRASCO



AFS Student





1st ROW; Mrs. Stephenson sponsor J. Thelma, M. Wagner, K. Watts, Y. Phillips, L. Jacobe, M. Watts, D. Carl, J. Bohm, B. Robinson, D. Hughes, E. Guhn, B. Fink; 2nd; L. Bliss, C. Myers, N. Miller, C. Blide, S. Yenser, W. Bishop, B. Michel, M. Becker, B. Briney, C. Ouderkirk, D. Domoney.

KAYETTES SERVE COMMUNITY, SCHOOL

Favors were taken to the rest homes at Thanksgiving.



KAYETTE BOARD



1st ROW; J. Wiersma, E. Becker, secretary; J. Rotman, president; Mrs. Stephenson, sponsor; D. Hughes, v. president; J. Cowley, treasurer; C. Blide; 2nd ROW; D. Fink, B. Pahls, D. Pahls, S. Murrow, N. Miller, E. Guhn, B. Geisler, C. Ouderkirk, J. Driggs

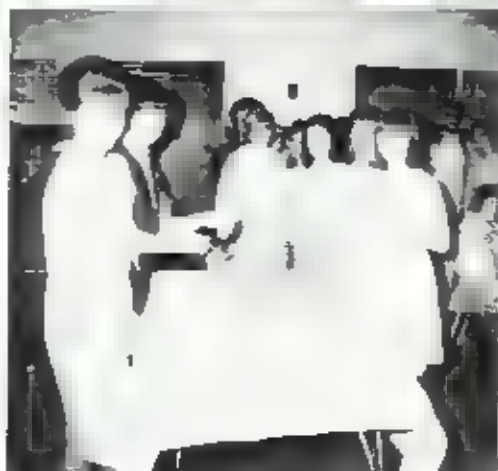


Senior Kayettes were honored at the tea.

KAYETTE QUEEN



Queen Betty with attendants Jodie and Claudia.



At the tea.



KAYETTE CAMPAIGN



Norma for President!



The aftermath of the Campaign



1st ROW; N. Brummer S. Hughes J. Briney D. Steinshouer, J. Cowley, S. Murrow, D. Pahls E. Becker, J. Wiersma, B. Brown, G. AraSmith, J. Rotman; 2nd ROW; B. Yenzer, P. Gates, I. Burmeister, J. Driggs, D. Fink, L. Mayers, Z. Sutter, S. Watts, B. Pahls, D. Bohm, B. Geisler, S. Grauer, L. Poppen.

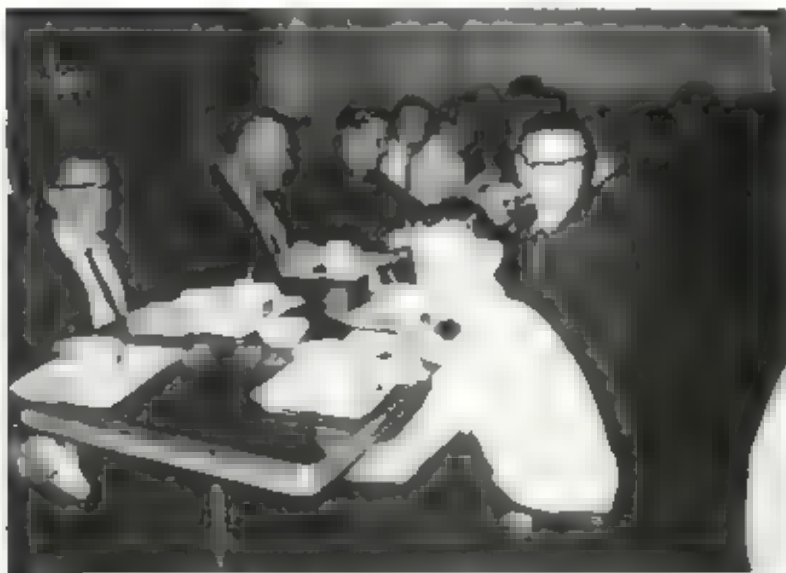


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CHAPTER SWEETHEART



For Team Sweetheart



Carl Fries, the first

for the first time



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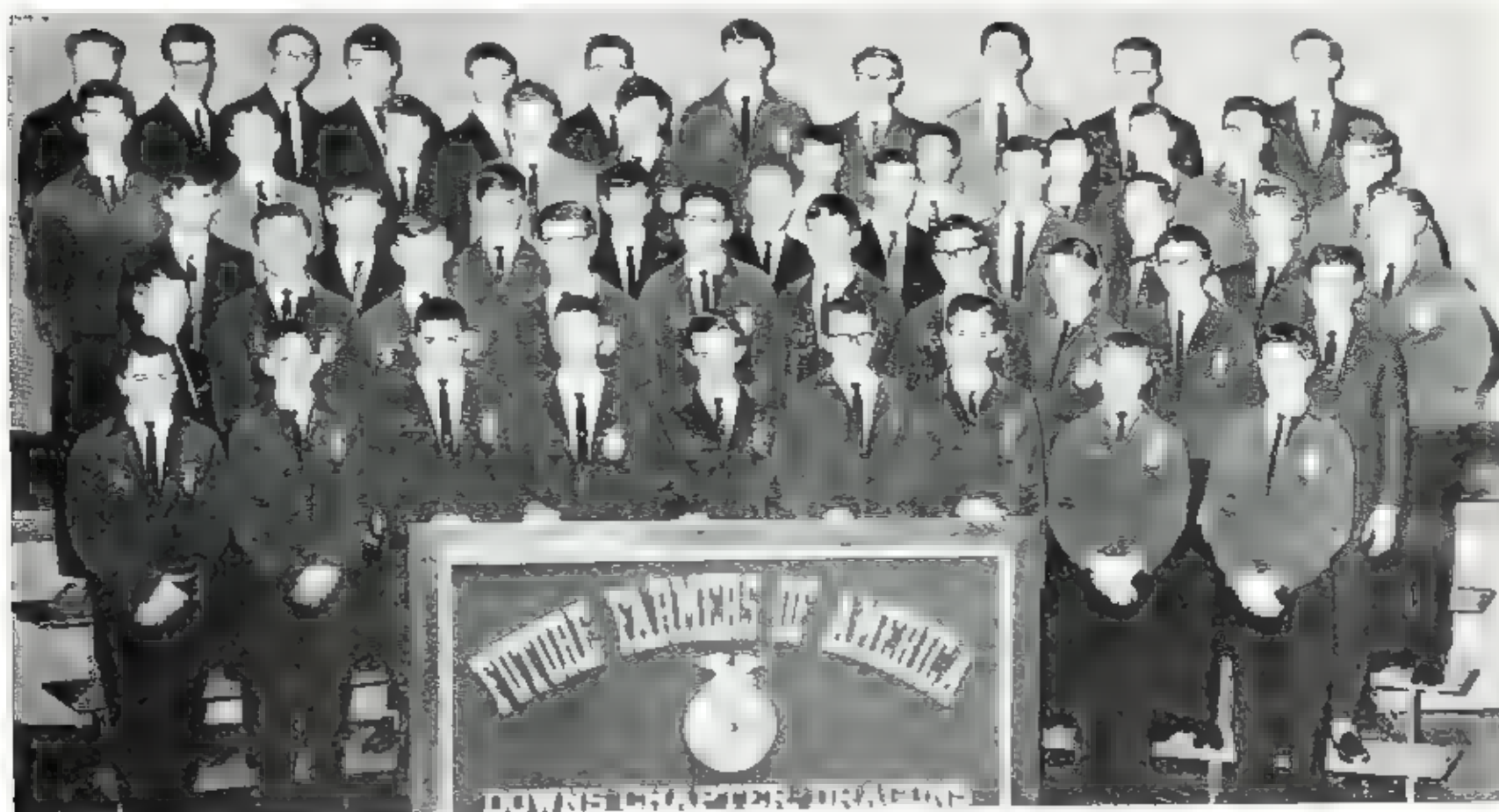
Milton Ouderkirk
becomes honorary
member.



New officer installation



Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Miller were recog-
nized for having had 4 sons in FFA for
16 consecutive years who were presi-
dent of the Chapter at some time.



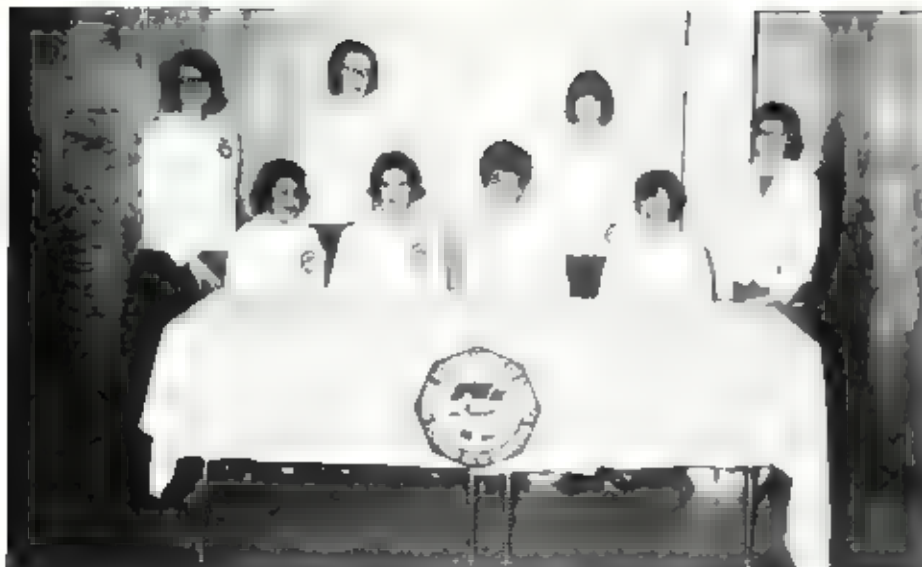
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NEWLY FORMED FHA CHAPTER LOOKS 'TOWARD NEW HORIZONS'

The newly formed Future Homemakers of America chapter at the University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point, is looking toward new horizons. The chapter, which was organized by Mrs. Herl, sponsor, is the first of its kind in the state. The chapter is currently in the process of organizing and planning for the future. The chapter is currently in the process of organizing and planning for the future.



1st ROW; Beatriz Alcocer, Doris Goheen, Mrs. Herl, sponsor, 2nd ROW; Marsha VanderGiesen, Mary Ann Meyer, Lois Kirk, Carolyn Reich, Kathy Seaman, Patty Benefiel, Laurie Mae Smith.



OFFICERS:

President--Carolyn Ouderkirk
 V. President--Laurie Finley
 Secretary--Pam Biesel
 Treasurer--Beatriz Alcocer
 Reporter--Carolyn Reich
 Historian--Kathy Seaman
 Parliamentarian--Doris Goheen
 Song Leaders--Pattie Benefiel
 Shiela Linton



FHA BEAU
 Gary Doane



ATTENDANTS
 Jerome Streit
 Bill Benefiel
 Ronnie Rous
 CROWN BEARER
 Mischelle Ouderkirk



Meeting on Hair Styles



The club made doughnuts for a sale.

Sherry Graver models at the spring
 style show put on by the FHA and
 Home Ec. Department.

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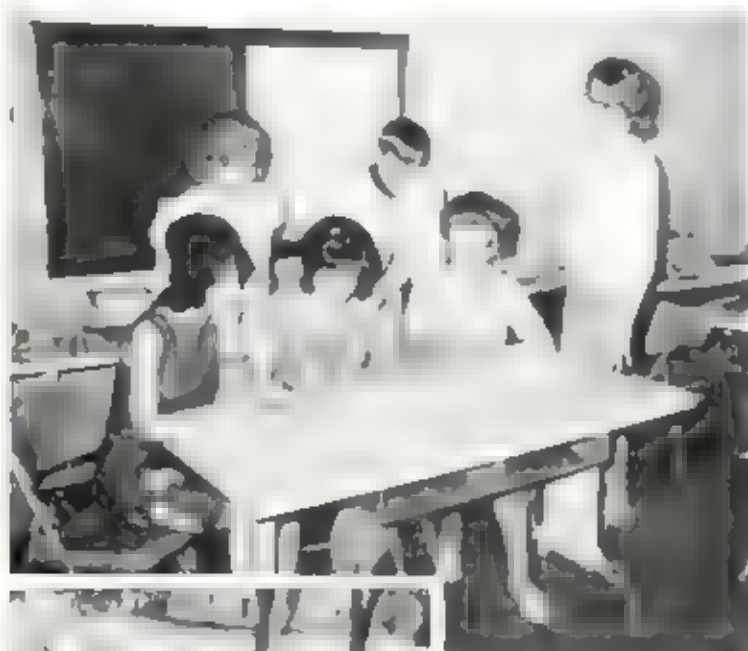




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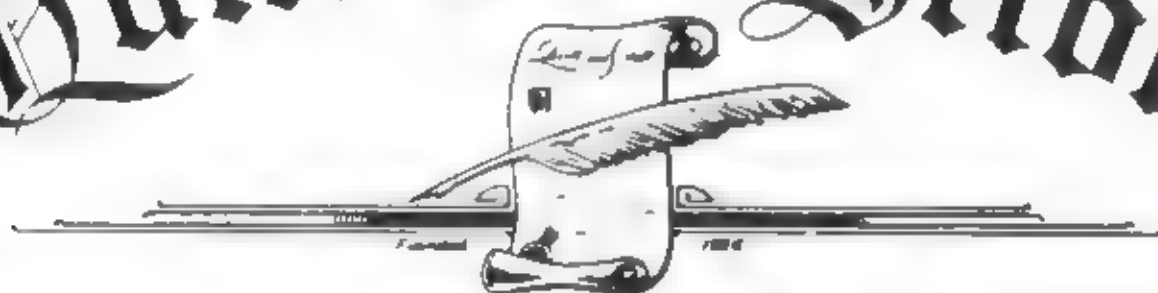


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DELIVERING THE PAPER
Darlene and Barb

Quill and Scroll



International Honorary Society for High School Journalists



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Dianna Fahl
Barbara Brown
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Carolyn Reich



DRAGONETTES BOOST TEAM WITH HILARIOUS
SKITS AND ENTHUSIASTIC CHEERING



Let's go back to it!



Pamela helped the team!!



Those Sophomores skits!

"The Dragonettes did their part in promoting the Dragons' athletic program, as they displayed good sportsmanship and were enthusiastic fans. Color was added by the group sitting in a section at the games.

"For the pep rallies, members prepared skits to boost the Dragon spirit at football and basketball games.

"Of course no club could function smoothly without good sponsors and hard working pep club officers. The club is sponsored by Margie Colburn and Joan Stahl."



OFFICERS

Dorothy Bohm, president; Shirley Hughes, vice president; Donalea Fink, secretary; Linda Poppen, treasurer; and Beverly Yenzler, publicity.

'64-'65 PEP CLUB



'Draggie' Cheerleaders: G. Trasmuth, J. Rotman, B. Pahls, B. Brown, S. Grauer, pep club, FIRST ROW; J. Briney, L. Bliss, B. Briney, B. Fink, B. Robinson, J. Cowley, D. Steinsouer, D. Goheen, B. Carrasco; SECOND ROW: D. Dornoney, M. VanderGiesen, C. Blide, C. Ouderkirk, P. Beisel, D. Carl, J. Driggs, P. Benefiel, Y. Phillip, THIRD ROW, I. Burmeister, B. Geisler, D. Hughes, L. Mayers, S. Yenzler, K. Watts, J. Bohm, C. Ouderkirk, S. Hughes, FOURTH ROW, L. Tanis, L. Schmitt, A. Lawson, E. Guhn, M. Becker, B. Michel, M. Watts, E. Becker, L. Jacobe, D. Fink, L. Poppen, FIFTH ROW, D. Bohm, Z. Sutter, P. Gates, B. Yenzler, C. Reich, W. Bishop, S. Murrow, N. Miller, D. Pahls, S. Watts.



"64-65"
CHEERLEADERS

JOAN MARSHALL
SHEILA MARSHALL

JENNIFER POTMAN
KATHY POTMAN

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SHEILA MARSHALL
JENNIFER POTMAN
KATHY POTMAN

ADJUTANTS



B. Dornoney, D. Dougherty, G. Arasmith, L. Streit, D. Miller, C. Oviatt, D. Carl, J. Reid, S. Stuart, D. Yenser, B. Benefiel, G. Doane, D. Saunders, J. Reid, J. Streit, Coach Don Meek, R. Rous, S. Edwar — B. Voss, T. McElroy, R. Arasmith, Coach Alan Feist, D. London, D. Rexroat, R. Pilcher, D. Muck, C. Pottberg, D. Goheen.

LETTERMEN PROMOTE SPORTSMANSHIP

President, Gayle Arasmith; V. President, Jim Reid; Secretary, Steve Stuart.





Left picture is a lovely attempt by Walter Peterson.

"JUNIORS PICK-A-DILLY"



At the right is a lovely attempt by Fred and Bill Buckle.

Downs High School auditorium was the scene of the Junior Play, November 19 and 20. "Pick-A-Dilly", written by Jay Tobias, was an exciting comedy thriller packed with laughs. It seemed Rod Benedict would inherit a fortune from his late uncle providing he married one of the three Dilly sisters-- April Violet, May Lilly, or June Rose.

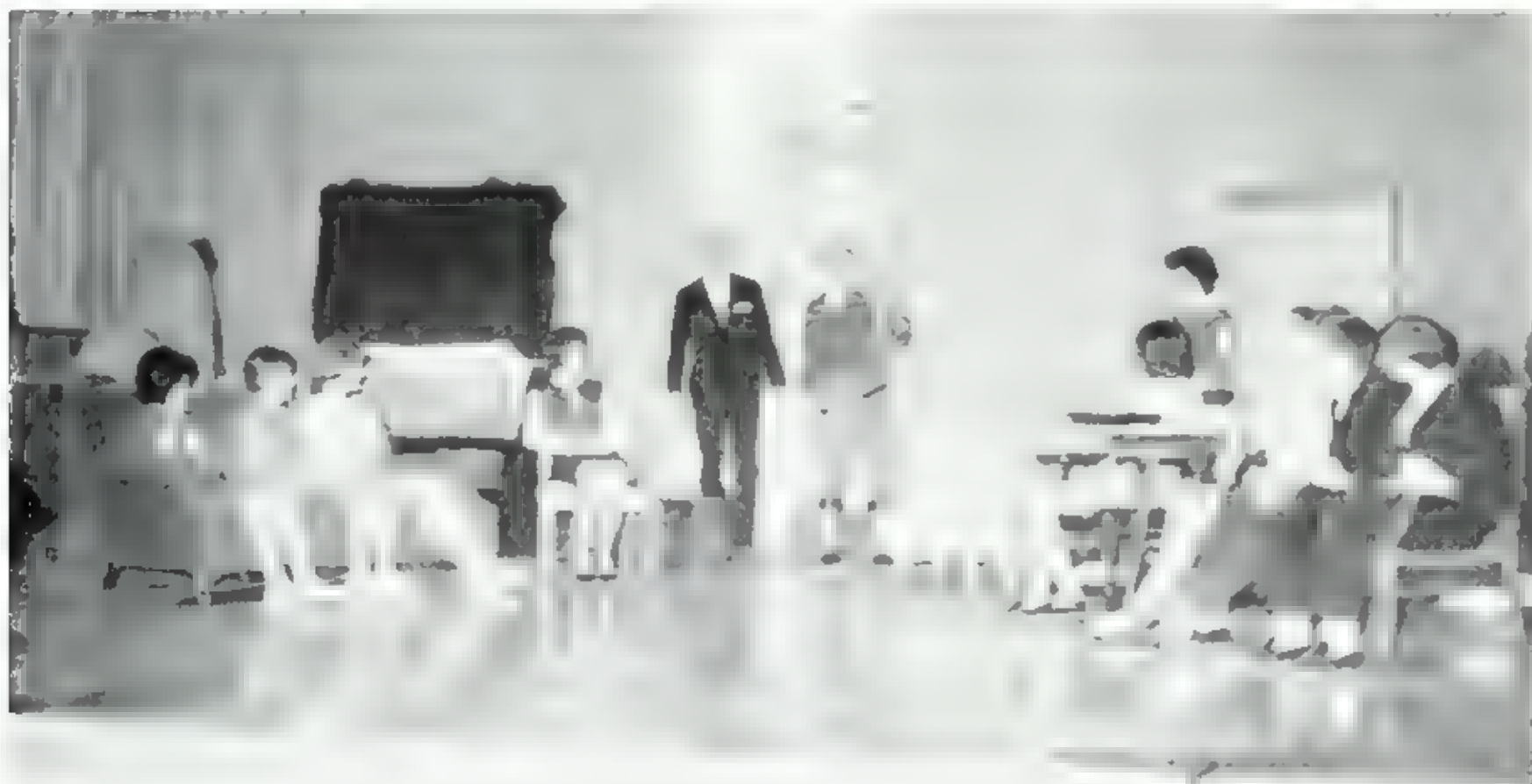
Now Rod didn't want to settle down to married bliss until he was at least thirty, so he disguised himself as an illiterate. From there on riotous situations occur. The climax came when a mad mortician, supposedly escaped from a mental hospital, started to embalm the live ones.

The cast was:

Susan Clark - - - -	Laurie Finley
Amanda Strong - - -	Donalea Fink
Purina Hogg - - - -	Patty Gates
Arvilla Garvey - - -	Zoe Sutter
Otis Garvey - - - -	LeWayne Becker
Wilber - - - - -	Ronnie Rous
Opal Dilly - - - - -	Linda Poppen
June Rose - - - - -	Sherry Watts
May Lilly - - - - -	Linda Mayers
April Violet - - - -	Sherry Grauer
Thadd Blecker - - -	Don Walter
Rod Benedict - - - -	Steve Stuart
Tex Larabee - - - -	Don Becker
Jack Purcell - - - -	Jerold Reid
Old Betsy - - - - -	Dorothy Bohm
Azariah Coffin - - -	Don Saunders



Everyone had a special girl.



The plot thickens as all the guests arrive.



The Team 1907



Football Team
1907



DeWitt School of
Commerce
1907



1907

SENIORS PRESENT DRAMA

"I sat on the edge of my chair all night for the Senior Play. Instead of the usual comedy play, the seniors decided to tackle a courtroom drama."

The cast consisted of:

Guard - - - - -	Charles Oviatt
Foreman - - - - -	Brent Domoney
Juror Two - - - - -	Jennifer Rotman
Three - - - - -	Don Wagner
Four - - - - -	Barbara Brown
Five - - - - -	Irya Kay Burmeister
Six - - - - -	Sandra Murrow
Seven - - - - -	Gayle - - - - -
Eight - - - - -	Darrell Miller
Nine - - - - -	Janice Wiersma
Ten - - - - -	Carolyn - - - - -
Eleven - - - - -	Dianna - - - - -
Twelve - - - - -	Leslie Streit

"The scene was the jury room and showed the discussions and frustrations that the jury went through in deciding the guilt of a nineteen year old boy. In the beginning, there seemed to be no doubt to the boy's guilt, but as the play progressed many things pointed to reasonable doubt. In the end the jury decided on a 'reasonable doubt' verdict."



"Well I hope this grey washes out!"

TWELVE ANGRY JURISTS





Queen Gwynne Arasmith, King Gayle Arasmith, Attendants, Barbara Brown, Brent Domoney, Dianna Fahls, Leslie Streit, Irva Burmeister, Dee Dougherty, Carolyn Ouderkirk, and Darrell Miller.

TWINS CROWNED ROYALTY

Queen Gwynne and King Gayle



HOMECOMING '64

Johnny and Lisa





Seniors decorate gym!

'Camelot' was the theme for Homecoming '64'. The day began with an assembly in the morning, where Gwynne and Gayle Arasmith were presented as king and queen.

In the afternoon, there was a parade downtown and a pep rally. Before the game the queen and her attendants were presented. The girls rode in antique cars.

After the game, the coronation and dance were in the gym. First-graders Lisa Dougherty and John Myers acted as crown bearers.

A DAY TO REMEMBER



The Parade Downtown!



Dance after the game!



Pep
Rally



YEARBOOK ROYALTY



QUEEN DONA HUGHES
KING DANNY KEITH

PRINCE TIMOTHY
PRINCESS JILL

CHANCELLOR

JOHN KAY BAKER - - - BEATRICE DOMINICK
ALICE BAKER - - - JERRY BAKER
MARGARET VANDERGRIFT - - - IRENE MORGAN
JACK SMITH



The faculty performs for the relaxing students.

SADIE



"No one even asked for my autograph."



The hillbilly band strikes up a tune.

HAWKINS

... even hillbilhes dance



The second Ringo Starr

"Will you sign my autograph book next?"





PLANTATION PARADISE - JR.-SR. PROM



Junior mothers prepared the banquet.

The sophomores were blacked
as Negroes for servers.



Behind closed doors the junior
put on the costumes for the
banquet and the members of
the school.





THE BANQUET



The Servers

THE PROM



We're Not Afraid of Tomorrow, For We Have Seen Yesterday, and We Love Today."

SENIORS

1965

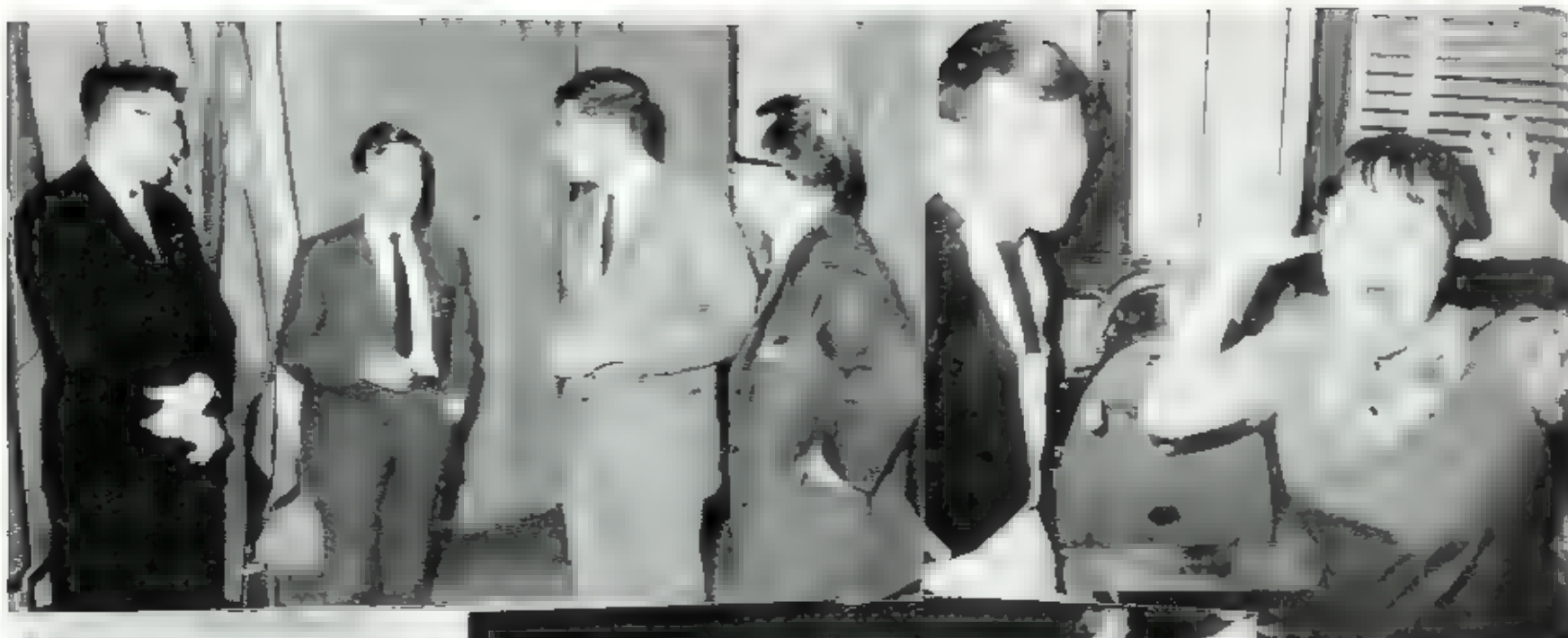


MAY 21,
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COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER -
Gerald Pearson

EDITOR - Sandra Snyder
LITERARY EDITOR - Barbara Brown



DRAGONS ALTER DHS 15 YEAR HISTORY

"This is the Dragon football team that won our school a fabulous second place trophy, the first football trophy in 15 years, which is now proudly displayed among the 3 other football trophies won in the history of DHS.

'And that's not surprising as you can see from their record:'

Downs	6	Lebanon	18
Downs	42	Miltonvale *	0
Downs	13	Glasco *	0
Downs	13	Osborne	20
Downs	25	St. Johns *	6
Downs	40	Delphos *	7
Downs	29	Mankato *	7
Downs	13	Clyde *	32

*league games



Dragons at a scrimmage.

A-TEAM FOOTBALL



1st ROW (from left): B. Benefiel, D. Muller, J. Streit, G. Doane, R. Arasmith, G. Arasmith, L. Streit, 2nd ROW; Coach Don Meek, B. Domoney, D. Saunders, J. Reid, S. Stuart, Assistant Coach Alan Feist.

1964-1965 FOOTBALL SQUAD



1st ROW, left to right: B. Benefiel, D. Miller, J. Streit, G. Doane, R. Arasmith, G. Arasmith, L. Streit, 2nd ROW; Assistant Coach Feist, D. Yenzer, J. Reid, D. Saunders, B. Dornoney, S. Stuart, D. Dougherty, Coach Meek, 3rd ROW; D. Rexroat, B. Voss, D. Becker, J. Reid, D. Carl, T. Steinshouer, R. Pilcher, M. Sharp, 4th ROW; D. Knouf, B. DeBolt, C. Cole, B. Berkley, T. Valliant, R. Russel, D. Slater, 5th ROW; managers - K. Staley, D. Lowdon, D. Muck, C. Pottberg; and T. McElroy, H. Staley. (Not shown, Charles Oviatt)



SENIOR DRAGONS



Brent Domoney, Halfback



Darrell Miller, Tackle



Jim Reid, Fullback



Lee Dougherty, Guard



Charles Oviatt, Fullback



Gayle Arasmith, Guard



Doug Carl, Center



Leslie Streit, End



BACK ROW, from L., B. Benefiel, G. Doane, D. Miller, L. Streit, D. Saunders, J. Reid, Allan Feist, coach; FRONT ROW G. AraSmith, manager, J. Michel, D. Yenzler, B. Domoney, J. Reid, T. Moore, manager.

BASKETBALL "65"

"Basketball ended at the Regional tournament for the Dragons this year. The Dragons ended the year with an impressive record of 16 wins and 7 losses. They captured two second place trophies in tournaments and ended up third in the league. The Dragons started 2 seniors and 3 juniors."

1965 RECORD

Downs	58	Clyde	43
Downs	67	Glen Elder	40
Downs	78	Delphos	48
Downs	62	Miltonvale	27
Downs	65	Osborne	55
Downs	57	St. John's	51
Downs	71	Mankato	54
Downs	50	Glasco	72
Downs	55	Clyde	51

LEAGUE TOURNAMENT

Downs	73	Clyde	55
Downs	57	Glasco	56
Downs	46	St. John's	55
Downs	81	Cawker City	56
Downs	61	Osborne	47
Downs	96	Delphos	57
Downs	103	Miltonvale	43
Downs	66	St. John's	81
Downs	58	Mankato	72
Downs	61	Glasco	55

DISTRICT TOURNAMENT

Downs	62	Jewell	40
Downs	53	Stockton	41
Downs	67	St. John's	72

REGIONAL TOURNAMENT

Downs	65	Smith Center	92
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Jerry Reid, Guard

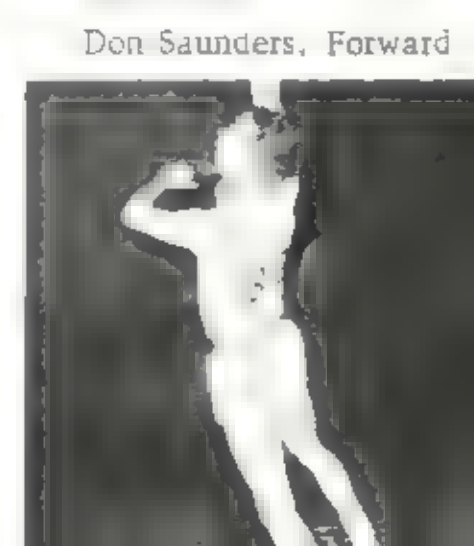
Brent Domoney, Guard



Darrell Miller, Center



Ben Benefiel, Forward



Don Saunders, Forward

THE YOUNG . . . DETERMINED BASKETBALL TEAM



FRESHMAN TEAM



T. Moore, R. Nyhoff, R. Linton, T. Steinshouer
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"The B-team ended up with a record of 18 wins and 3 losses.

"The freshman team participated in a freshman tournament for the first time this year and received 4th place."



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League Trackmeet



CHARLES OVIATT, Shot Put
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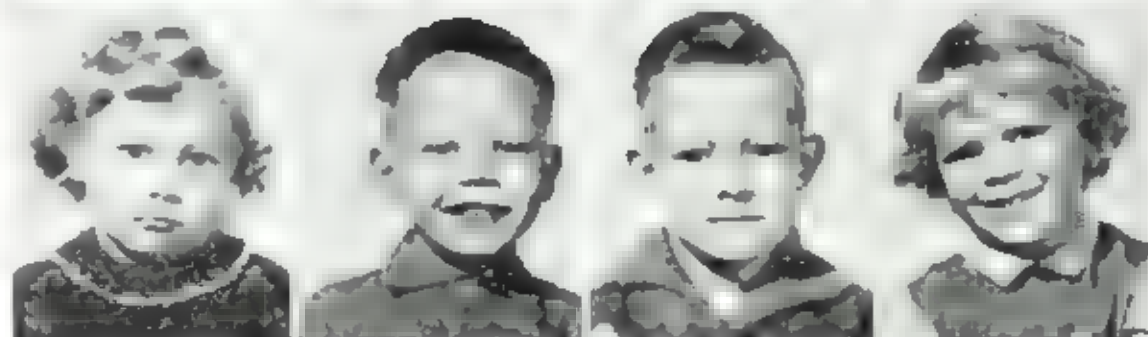
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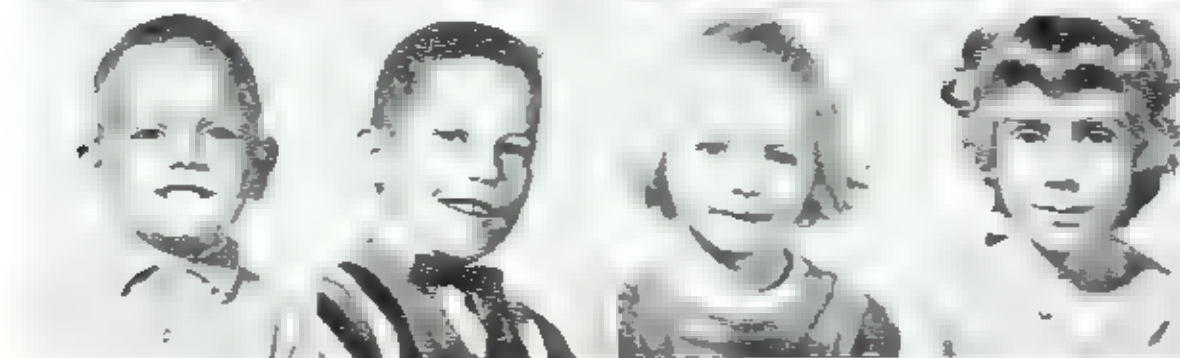
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Ann Michel
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 Phillio Murrow
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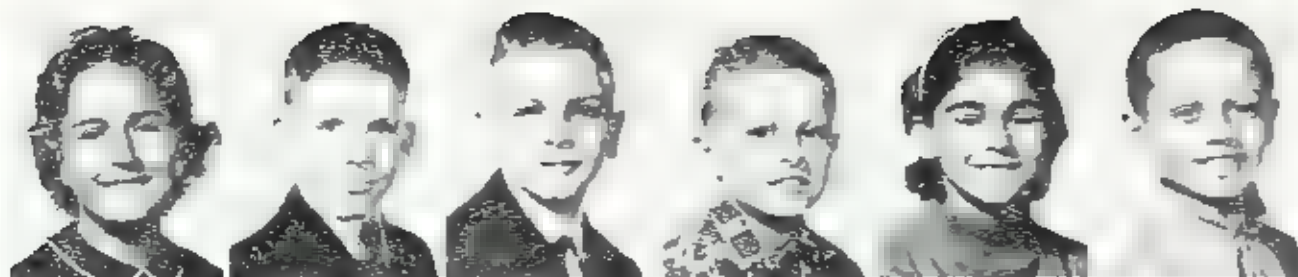


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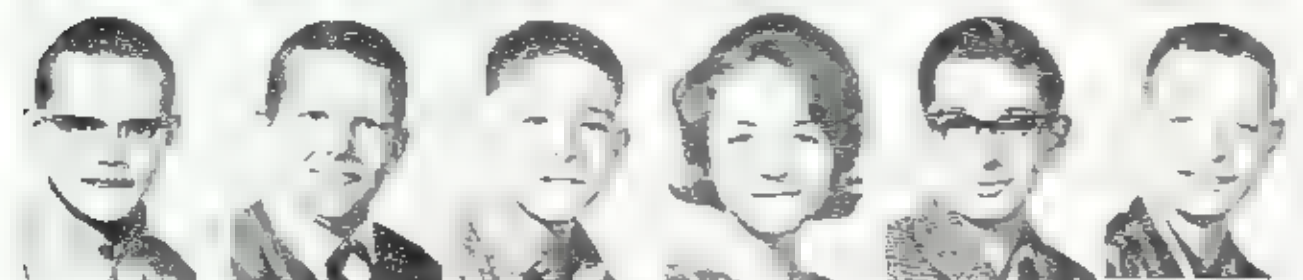


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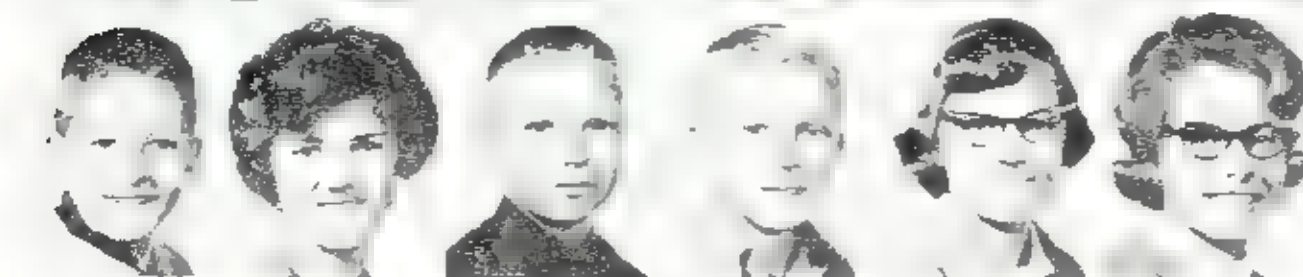
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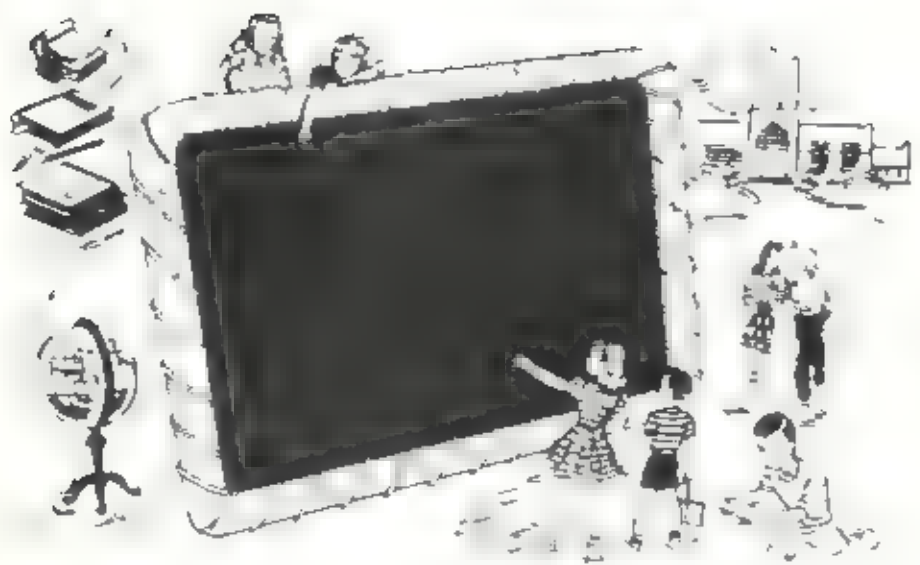
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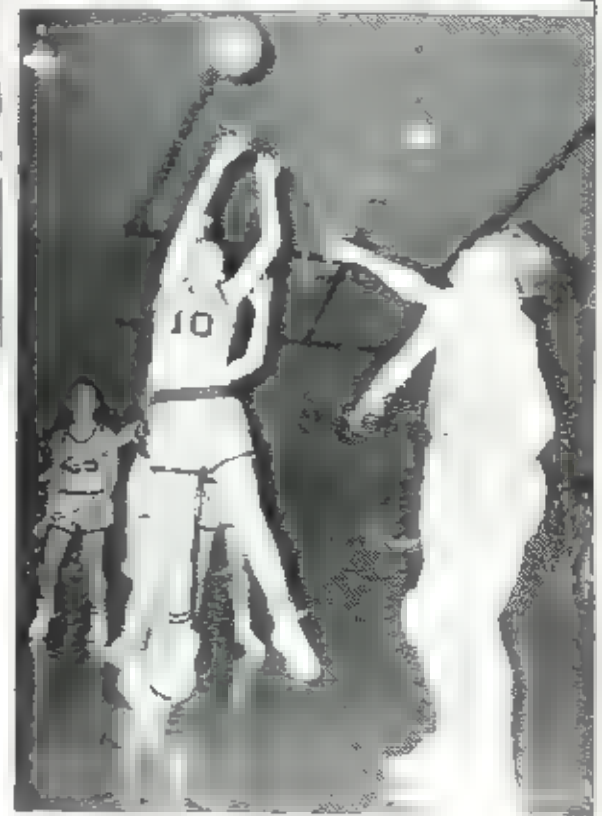


GRADE SCHOOL ACTIVITIES



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Hartig, Coach, Mr. Gerald Childs



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MORE SPORTS . . .



GRADE SCHOOL FOOTBALL TEAM

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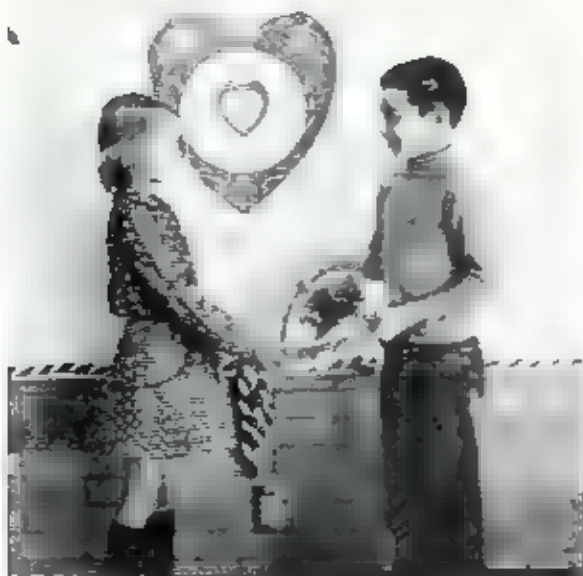
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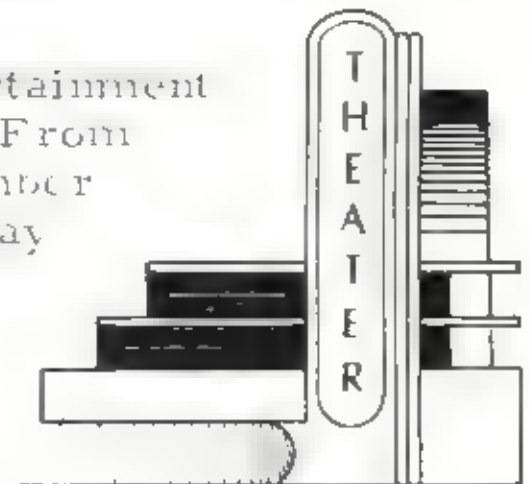
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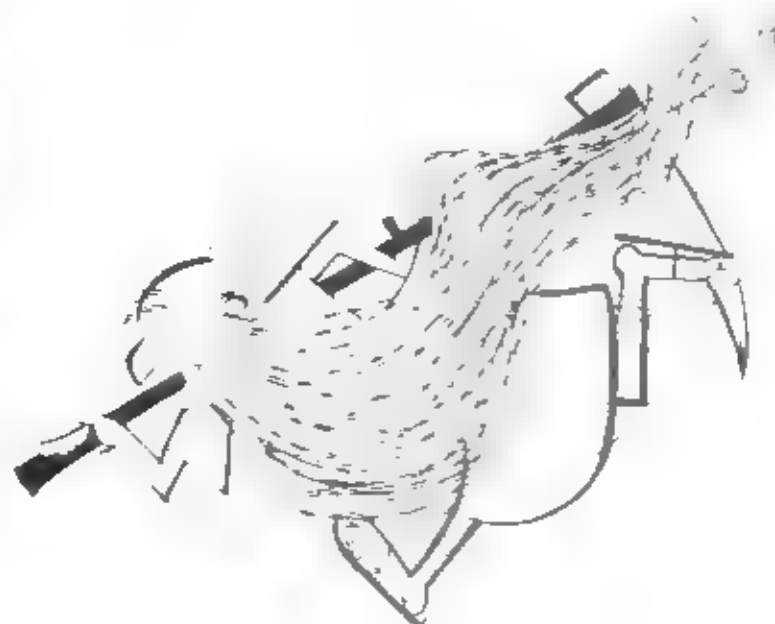
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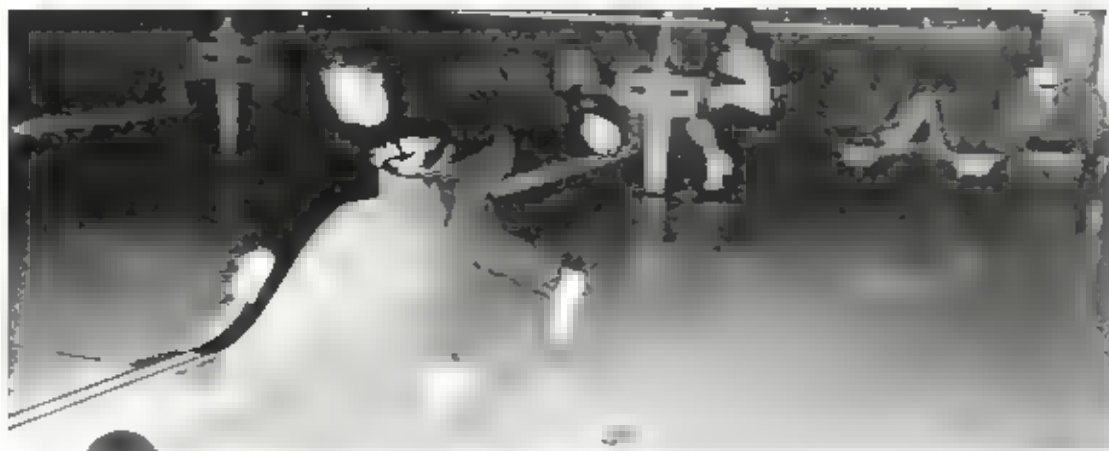
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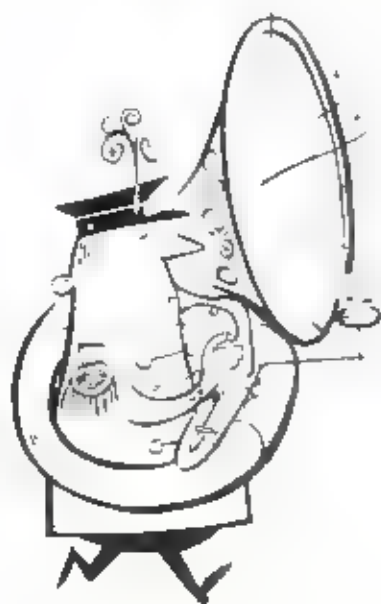


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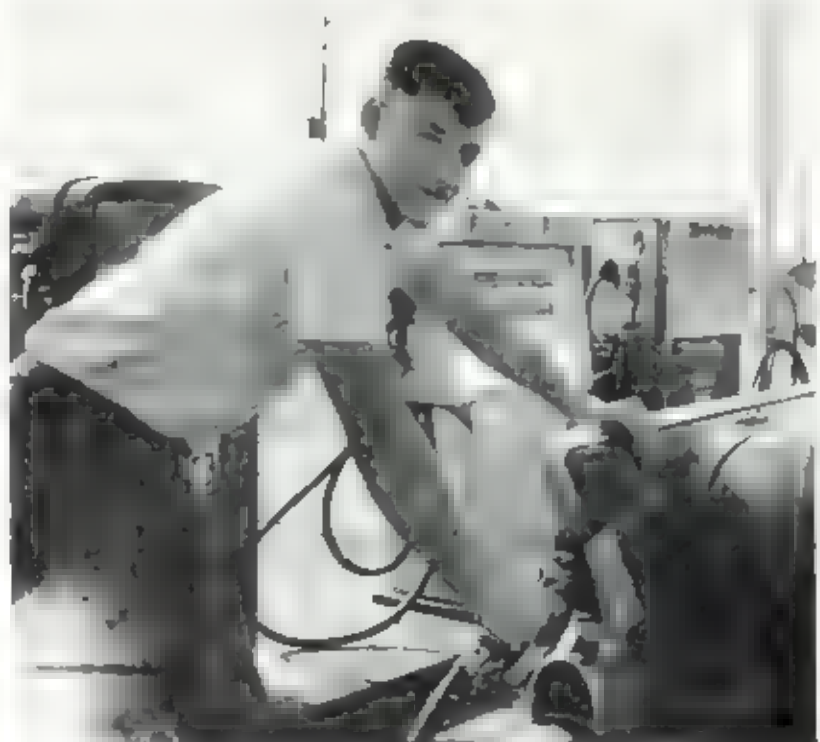
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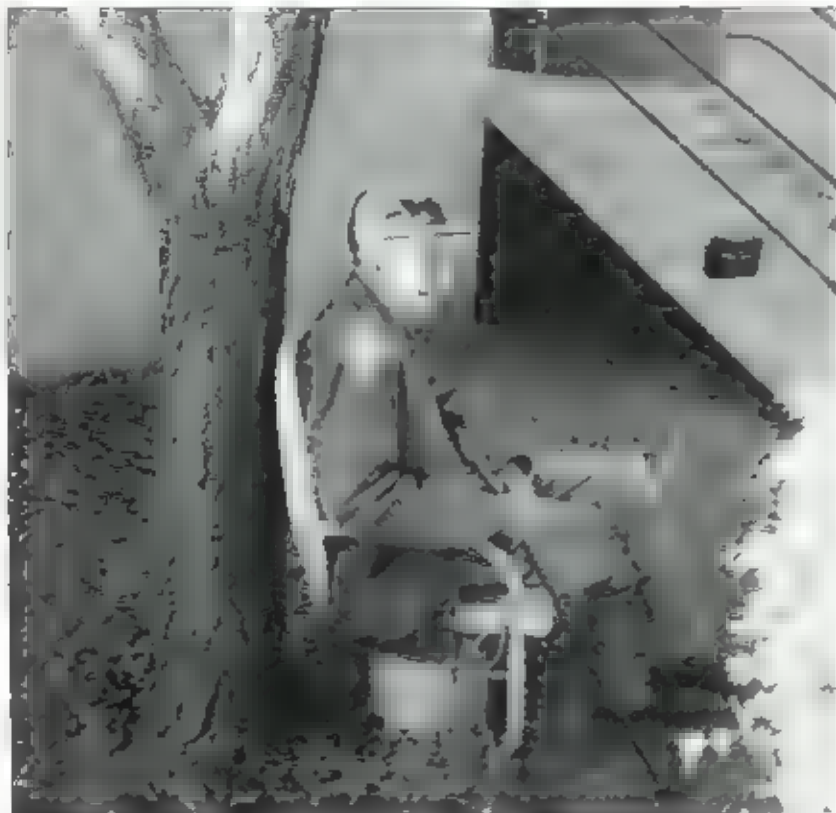
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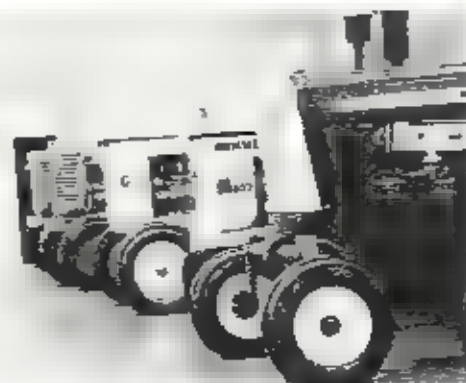
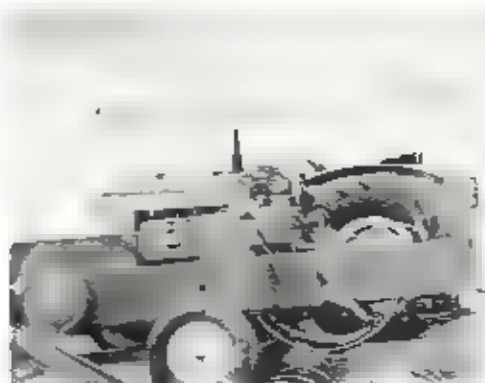


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